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The Homer Fitts Company

BARRE DAILY TIMES

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 1917.

The Weather

Probably fair tonight, with frost in New Hampshire and Vermont if weather clears. Thursday fair; moderate nor and northwest winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Tyler Thomson of South Main street left this morning on a business trip to Burlington.

Guy L. Fullam of Norwich, Conn., arrived in the city yesterday to spend a few days on a business trip in Barre and Granville.

Among the Northfield business visitors in the city yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Denny, Mrs. Floyd Deering and Mrs. F. P. Houston.

Jack Harris of Granville passed through the city this morning while on his way to Sherbrooke, P. Q., to pass the remainder of the week with relatives.

Ed. Martin, who has been visiting during the past few days at the home of Joseph Parker of Hill street, returned today to his home in East Brookfield.

Miss Madeline Brown of New York City arrived in the city last evening and is passing several days here as the guest of Miss Alice Carroll of North Main street.

County Agent F. H. Abbott returned this morning from Roxbury, where he conducted a meeting of the Roxbury Farmers' club last evening. Mr. Abbott made extensive plans for the spring work which is now under way, as well as discussing the present high cost of living problem.

A joint meeting of the men and women of the local branch of the Vermont Tel. & Tel. Co. employees was held Monday evening to make plans for a series of entertainments which will be held during the ensuing year. There were about 20 of the company's employees present and a very enthusiastic meeting was in order. Similar meetings will be held in Montpelier, and after the members of the Montpelier branch of the service hold their meeting, a meeting of the two branches will be held to elect officers and various committees which may be found necessary to carry the entertainments through to a success.

TALK OF THE TOWN

See the bargains in millinery at Mrs. A. Birnie's, 3 Pleasant street.

William Mitchell of North Main street went to White River Junction this morning on a business visit.

Wilbur W. Farr of St. Johnsbury was among the business visitors in the city. George Forbes of Bristol, N. H., arrived in the city yesterday to spend a few days on a business trip in Barre and Granville.

Rev. Charles A. Boyd of Burlington, secretary of the State Sunday School association, arrived in the city yesterday and is passing a few days with friends while here to attend the county convention of Sunday school workers.

Funeral services for Esther Elaine Alexander, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Alexander of Branch street, whose death occurred yesterday, will be held at the house Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. W. Barnett, pastor of the Congregational church, will officiate and interment will be made in the family lot at Hope cemetery.

C. A. Merrill of Long street received his first shipment of day-old chicks from the Lord Bros' poultry farm of Methuen, Mass., this morning. The shipment consisted of 300 White Leghorn chickens which Mr. Merrill bought several weeks ago while on a business trip to Methuen. The chickens were in excellent condition, there being but three of the lot dead upon their arrival in Barre. Mr. Merrill expects to go into the chicken business more extensively later and will have a shipment later in the spring.

To-day it developed that the city council, in pursuing the proposed traction franchise in a secret session Monday night, neglected to provide any avenue for forwarding the tentative agreement to the Tenney company for its approval or rejection. Apparently the matter was overlooked in the three hours' debate that figured in the executive meeting and as none of the aldermanic committees was delegated to hand a copy to representatives of the company, it remains untouched and may not be disturbed until there is sanction for turning it over to the company. The Montpelier council, after making some changes to the committee franchise, so called, sent it to the traction people with the request that a decision on its acceptance or rejection be made before May 23.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Miss Mary Lavery commenced work this morning at the Barre Candy Kitchen.

Mrs. Charles Spencer left this noon for Northfield, where she will visit relatives.

"The Revival of the Faithless," a five-reel Bluebird feature, at the Bijou today—adv.

A son was born this morning at the City hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Clark of 191 Washington street.

Chester V. Wilson passed through the city today, while en route from Ver-shire, where he has been working for the past six months, to his home in Colchester.

Guglielmo Pasetto of Bolster place, who enlisted in the Headquarters company, state National Guard, at the local recruiting station last week, returned from Fort Ethan Allen last night. Mr. Pasetto passed the exacting physical examination required of company members, but was placed on the waiting list because he lacked the necessary proficiency in handling the English language.

WAITSFIELD

Miss Marion Bisbee is boarding with Mrs. Addie Dale during this term of school.

Richard Gaylord was home from Randolph for the week end.

Mrs. M. M. Davis returned Tuesday to her home in Moretown.

The Washington county Sunday school meeting in Barre Wednesday was attended by W. C. Keisey, A. E. Mehuron and Rev. I. Mellor of the M. E. church; Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Remele, Miss Clara Spaulding and Carl W. Long of the Congregational church.

Mrs. Jennie Boyce-Greene celebrated her 74th birthday Tuesday by taking an automobile ride. This is remarkable because five weeks ago she had a shock and one side of her body was apparently paralyzed.

Alex Arno had an auction of his household goods Tuesday.

The food production rally held here Monday evening in the assembly hall of the high school was attended by a representative audience of high school pupils, farmers and townsmen. Speakers County Agent Abbott, Rev. Fraser Metzger and Prof. Storey urged everyone to do his part in the production of food, so that each family would raise his own products.

George Shepherd left the employ of J. A. Smith Tuesday and enlisted.

Miss Leila Marshall is home from Burlington.

Mrs. Benjamin R. Buzzell passed away Tuesday morning, May 8, at cancer of the liver. Funeral services will be held at her late residence Thursday at 2 p. m.

Prizes for successful pig raisers; see announcement of the Montpelier Savings Bank & Trust Company on page 4—adv.

Regular meeting of Hiawatha lodge, No. 20, I. O. O. F., Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. Work, third degree. Every member is requested to be present. Per order N. G.

Special convocation St. Alder commandery, No. 11, K. T., Thursday evening, May 10, at 7 o'clock. Work, red cross degree. Per order eminent commander.

Regular meeting of Barre acie, 1573, F. O. E., Thursday evening at 7:30. Initiation.

A regular meeting of Green Mt. council, No. 736, R. A., will be held Wednesday, May 9, at 7:30 p. m., in I. O. O. F. hall. All members please be present. Important business.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LOST—Monday on Main street, a sum of money in bills; will be suitably rewarded by returning money to this office. 4712*

FOR SALE—Top buggy, sleigh, plush and wool robes, hay, good driving harness, platform scales (Fairbanks), safe and tools; call at Clark's, 26 Perry street. 4714

TO RENT—One three-room down stair tenement, nicely finished in hardwood, spring water, window shades, gas stove and lights, cool stove, window shades with tenement; rent \$9.00 per month. C. A. Heath, 171 Washington street. 4711*412

WANTED AT ONCE—A grinder. Louis De Blois Granite Co. 4712

FOR RENT—House, barn, garden and hen-house at 7 Upland avenue. Mrs. J. M. Turner, Montpelier, Vt., 189 Elm street. Tel. 51-36. 4712

TO RENT—A garage, near Park street, inquire at Morrison's Cigar store or phone 74-4. 4714

THE UNION DRY GOODS COMPANY

Our May Sale of New Merchandise Begins Tomorrow, Thursday

The merchandise offered in this sale is all crisp, clean and new, trimmed with fine laces, embroideries and ribbons.

This is just the season when new underwear is needed—and this is just the sale when women may buy well-made and beautiful undergarments at the VERY LOWEST PRICES.

Gowns at 55c

Made of good cotton, low neck, hamburg trimmed; these are very good values.

Gowns at 69c

Extraordinary values in fine cotton gowns, either high or low neck, well worth 89c. A splendid assortment to choose from.

Gowns at 89c

High-grade merchandise in a complete assortment of styles, high or low neck, trimmed with fine lace, hamburg, etc.; actual values to \$1.25.

Gowns at \$1.39

Pretty new Gowns, lace trimmed, low neck, regular values, \$1.50

Skirts at 55c

About six dozen only at this price, made with good deep flounce and splendid values.

Skirts at 69c

One of the best values in the sale; made of excellent materials, and worth regularly 89c; a large variety to select from.

Skirts at 89c

An assortment of long White Skirts that are unusual value; made with deep hamburg flounce and regularly worth \$1.00 to \$1.25.

Skirts at \$1.39

These are made of fine materials, with lace and hamburg flounces; regularly sold at \$1.50.

High-Grade Gowns

Beautiful assortments of fine Night Robes; lace and ribbon trimmed; see the special values we are showing at \$1.79, 1.98, 2.25, 2.65—regular prices \$1.98, 2.25, 2.50 and 2.98.

Fine Skirts

Three special assortments of fine Skirts, with lace flounces, in this sale at \$1.79, 2.25, 2.65. Regular prices, \$1.98, 2.50, 2.98.

Corset Covers at 50c

All new and pretty styles, lace and hamburg trimmed—these are worth much more to-day.

Drawers a 50c

One lot of Hamburg and lace trimmed Drawers—made of excellent quality cotton.

Chemises at 89c

A very special item for this sale, all neat and pretty styles; lace and hamburg trimmed; regular price, \$1.

Silk and Crepe de Chene Underwear in this sale at 10 per cent. discount

Now is your opportunity to purchase a supply for your trousseau or your summer vacation at quite a little saving.

Camisoles 89c, \$1.98, \$2.50 Less 10 per cent.

Embroidered Combinations

in White and Pink, \$1.98, \$2.25, \$2.98, \$3.50, less 10 per cent. discount.

Crepe de Chene Skirts

in Pink and White; lace trimmed; \$4.50, \$5.98, less 10 per cent. discount.

Robes

in Crepe de Chene and Wash Silks; pink or white; \$3.50, \$5.00, less 10 per cent.

Special Values in Children's Cotton Underwear

Children's Drawers, 15-25c
Children's Skirts at... 50c
Children's Robes at... 50c

NOTICE—During this White Sale we will offer several special values in Laces and Embroideries

Hamburg Edgings

A large assortment of patterns at 8c, 10c, 12c, 15c, regular prices 10c, 12c, 15c, 19c.

Val. Laces at 4c yard

Several thousand yards of fine Valenciennes Laces at this low price.

Our High-grade Laces

Will be in sale at 10 per cent. discount.

THE UNION DRY GOODS COMPANY

MONTPELIER

Preparations Being Completed for Big Demonstration Friday.

Every Montpelier citizen is "doing his bit" toward making the big patriotic parade to be held Friday afternoon the success it deserves to be and there is every indication that it will be the biggest day in Montpelier since Dewey day some 12 years ago. There will be numerous floats in line and automobiles will carry hundreds of persons in addition to those who will march. The parade will form at the head of Main street, allowing the line to extend up Berlin street. The speakers in the city hall will be Gov. Graham, Rev. Fraser Metzger of Randolph and Hon. Patrick M. Melton of Rutland. Mayor Mitchell will preside. Only those who march will be admitted to the city hall auditorium, but an overflow meeting will be held in armory hall with the same speakers.

Mrs. Alex Glennie of Main street was arrested yesterday afternoon by Officer E. D. Sloan on a warrant issued by Grand Juror John H. Stone, charging her with breach of the peace. The woman when arraigned before Judge E. M. Harvey entered a plea of guilty and paid a fine of \$1 and costs, amounting to \$6.05. Mrs. Glennie, it is alleged, struck Paul Plaisted, a jitney driver, Monday evening. She asserted that he made an insulting remark concerning her daughter. The case of State vs. George W. Bolton, appeal from Chelonia county court, was completed in supreme court yesterday afternoon and this forenoon arguments were made in the Windsor county case, Rawleigh company vs. Pierce, Hazen & Huntley. The plaintiff petitions for a new trial. Several other Windsor county cases are to be argued and then followed by Windham county cases.

In probate court Dean K. Lillie has been appointed administrator of the estate of L. H. P. Rowell, late of Montpelier. Edwin A. Stimson of Roxbury has been appointed administrator de bonis

non with the will annexed of the estate of Loren J. Willey, late of Roxbury.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Blanchard and Mr. and Mrs. Lester H. Greene went this forenoon to Burlington to witness the patriotic demonstration, making the trip in Mr. Blanchard's machine.

Mrs. Margaret Badord of Court street went yesterday afternoon to St. Johnsbury, being called by the serious illness of her young son, Kenneth Badord.

Francis Marron of Barre street has received notification of his acceptance as a member of the officers' reserve corps and will leave the latter part of the week for Plattsburg, N. Y., to participate in the three months' training.

The baseball game scheduled for this afternoon between Montpelier high and St. Albans has been postponed, the request having been made by the local management. The seminary will, however, play Spaulding high this afternoon. Friday the seminary plays Northfield high and Saturday the strong Rutland high team.



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TALK OF THE TOWN

Thomas Cassini of Waterbury, Conn., arrived in the city last evening to spend a few days.

Bring your fur coats and furs to be repaired and remodeled. I will keep them for you till next fall in good condition. Joe Kovalsky's Tailor Shop, Eastman block, Tel. 424-4.

GRANITEVILLE

There will be a public flag raising in Graniteville on Thursday evening at 6 o'clock. Appropriate exercises by the school children and a speech by Rev. S. F. Blomfield of Montpelier. If the weather is unfavorable exercises will be postponed.

FOOT EXPERT'S SERVICES FREE

Come in early to-morrow morning and learn the cause of your foot troubles. Find out why your feet hurt—and how you can overcome the annoying, distressing or painful conditions. A foot expert will be here—a man trained under the supervision of the celebrated Dr. Wm. M. Scholl, the widely known, successful foot specialist. He will give you his services absolutely free of charge and you will be under no obligation either to him or to us.



May 10, 11, 12

He has helped thousands of persons to obtain relief from their foot troubles and will gladly do as much for you. He will tell you

- how you can wear your regular size shoe without the feeling that it is too short or too tight.
- how you can become freed from the pain of corns, bunions, callouses and cramps in the toes and ball of the foot;
- how your ankles can be strengthened and straightened without the necessity of wearing cumbersome braces;
- how the annoyance and discomfort of perspiring feet may be overcome in your own home;
- how to rid yourself of all foot troubles including pains in the heels, ankles and limbs; tired, aching feet; weak, fallen or broken-down arches.

You may ask him any questions you wish about your feet, the kind of shoes you should wear—whether high heels or low—or anything else that may influence your foot comfort.

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We realize this and if you trade with us a while you will be impressed with the care which we exercise in conducting our business.

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